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For: FUEL CELL POWER GENERATION SYSTEM, METHOD OF DETECTING DEGREE

OF DETERIORATION OF REFORMER THEREFOR AND FUEL CELL POWER

**GENERATION METHOD** 

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows.